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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re application of

Woong Sik CHOI

Group Art Unit: 2871

Application No.: **09/448,277**

Examiner: Zhi Qiang QI

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For: REFLECTION TYPE LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE

HAVING A HIGH APERTURE RATIO

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Prior to the first Office Action after a Request for Continued Examination and in response to the Examiner's Final Office Action dated June 18, 2002, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 1, 12, and 18 as follows (A marked-up version of the amended claims):

1. (Amended) A liquid crystal display device comprising:

a substrate:

first and second gate lines formed on the substrate:

first and second data lines intersecting the first and second gate lines so as to define a pixel region, wherein each one of the first and second data lines has longitudinally separated first and second regions: